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DETAILED ACTION

Response to Amendment

- 1. The reply filed on 5/5/2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant has presented no amendment to, or Arguments for rejected independent claim 19. It appears that Applicant has mistaken claim 19 for a dependent claim (see Remarks, page 7, lines 1-2). See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this
- notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED

UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MATTHEW M. BARKER whose telephone number is (571)272-3103. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F, 8:30 AM-5:00 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Thomas Tarcza can be reached on (571)272-6979. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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